

WEST BRYCELAND FIELD

01-555

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JULY 10, 2001**, upon the application of **PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the West Bryceland Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish a single additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, to be designated CV RA SUD, as shown outlined on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To further define the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, insofar and only insofar as proposed CV RA SUD is concerned, as that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 9332' and 11,392' (ELM) in the Phillips Petroleum Company - Barker 19 No. 1 Well located in Section 19, Township 17 North, Range 6 West.
3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation
4. To designate the Phillips Petroleum Company - R P Towns 20 No. 1 Well as the unit well for CV RA SUD, at the exceptional location shown on the plat submitted with the application and to designate Phillips Petroleum Company as operator of the unit.
5. To extend the existing field rules for the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, to the proposed unit except to the extent inconsistent herewith.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Bryceland Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 241-C, effective on and after November 5, 1998, and is to be further defined insofar and only insofar as proposed CV RA SUD is concerned, as that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 9332' and 11,392' (ELM) in the Phillips Petroleum Company - Barker 19 No. 1 Well located in Section 19, Township 17 North, Range 6 West.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

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All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PERSONNEL SECTION AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.